

# California OES Weather Threat Briefing

Friday, April 30, 2021  
9:00 AM PDT

**Day 1 (Friday):** Minor heat impacts expected across the Central Valley and much of southern California this afternoon due to well above normal temperatures in the 80s to lower 100s, reaching some record high values. Localized elevated fire weather conditions also expected over the southern California mountains this afternoon due to breezy winds.

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# **WEATHER KEY POINTS**

**04/30/21 - 05/06/21**

## **Friday-Sunday**

- Minor heat impacts across the Central Valley and southern desert areas today through Sunday with temperatures well into the 80s and 90s, with some lower 100s over the southeast deserts that could break some records for this time of year.
- Locally elevated fire weather conditions continue through Saturday over the southern California mountains due to gusty winds, with slightly stronger and more widespread winds expected Saturday and Sunday over much of southern California, gusting 35-45 mph.

## **Monday-Thursday**

- Slightly cooler temperatures expected early next week for most areas
- Southern California looks to warm back up mid-week, but not reach as high of temperatures like they will see Friday & Saturday.



# CALIFORNIA WEATHER IMPACTS

04/30/21 - 05/06/21

<u>Hazards / Day</u>	FRI	SAT	SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU
<b>Non-Thunderstorm Damaging Winds</b>	Southern (Mountains)	All Regions	All Regions				
<b>Snow</b>							
<b>Coastal Flooding</b>							
<b>River Flooding</b>							
<b>Thunderstorms</b> (Wind / Hail / Tornadoes)							
<b>Fire Weather</b> (Low Humidity / Wind / Dry Thunderstorms)	Southern	Southern	Southern				
<b>Heat Risk</b>	Inland/ Southern	Southern	Southern			Southern	Southern
<b>Heavy Rain/Flash Flooding/ Debris Flow</b>							
<b>Cold</b>							



No Impacts



Minimal Impacts



Moderate Impacts



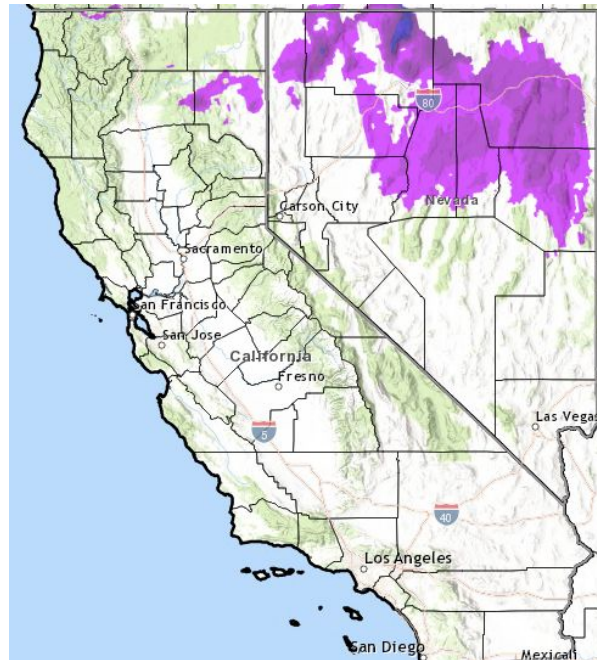
Severe Impacts

# PRECIPITATION FORECAST

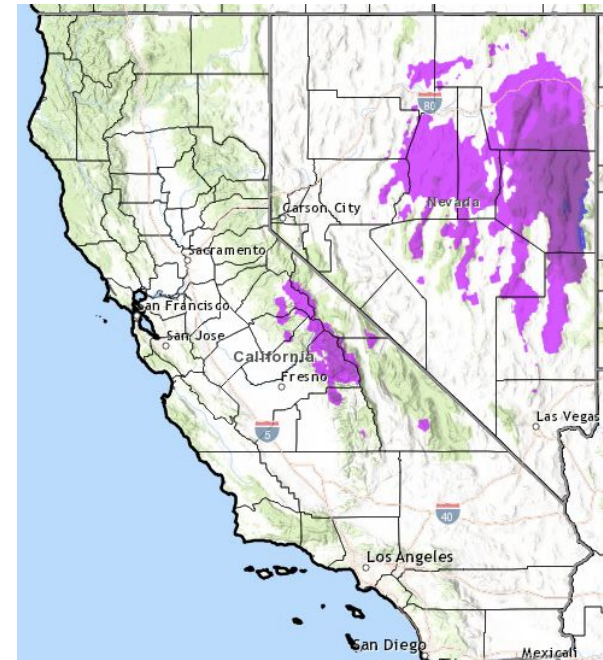
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**Friday**



**Saturday**



**Sunday**

**Precipitation (inches)**



# **WEATHER OUTLOOK**

**05/05/21 - 05/13/21**

## **6-10 Day Outlook (May 5 – May 9)**

### **Temperatures**

- Above normal temperatures are favored for the entire state, with higher confidence in southern California

### **Precipitation**

- Below normal precipitation is favored for the northern half of California, with near normal precipitation favored across southern California

## **8-14 Day Outlook (May 7 – May 13)**

### **Temperatures**

- Near normal temperatures favored for northern and coastal California, and above normal temperatures favored for southern California.

### **Precipitation**

- Below normal precipitation is favored for the northern half of the state, with near normal precipitation favored for southern California



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